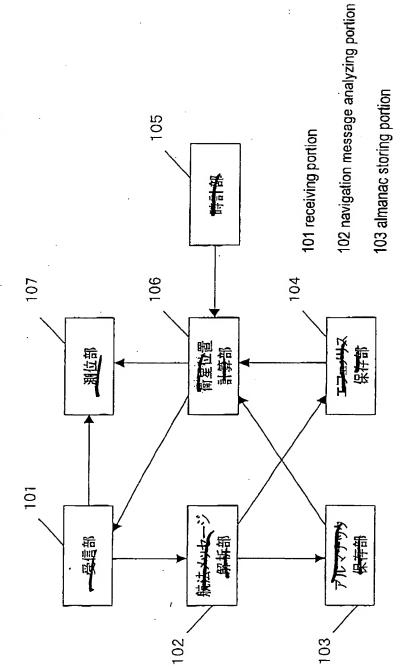
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104 ephemeris storing portion

105 clock portion

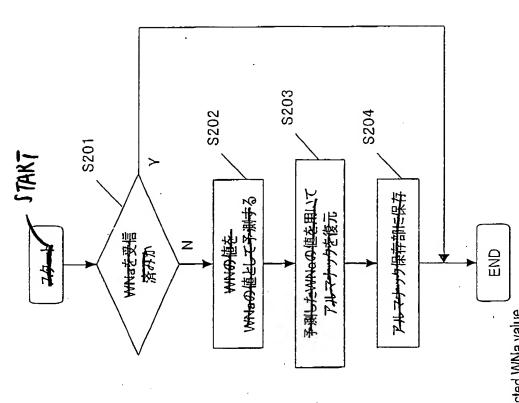
106 satellite position calculating portion

107 position measuring portion



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Fig. 2



S203 restore an almanac by using the predicted WNa value

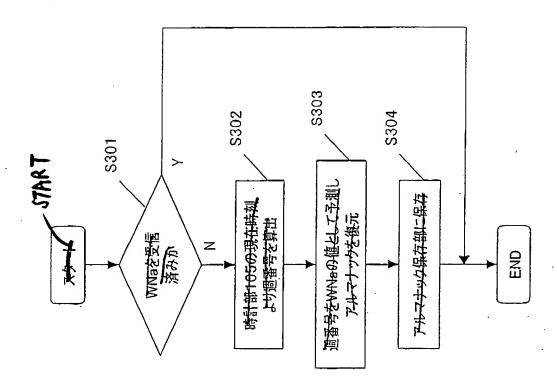
S204 store in an almanac storing portion

S202 predict a WN value as a WNa value

S201 WNa has been already received ?

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S301 WNa has already been received ?

S302 calculate a week number based on a current time of a clock portion 105

S303 predict the week number as a WNa value and restore an almanac

S304 store in an almanac storing portion

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S401 calculate a week number and a time lapsed from a head of the week

based on a current time of a clock portion 105

S402 a difference between the received Z count and the catculated time lapsed from a head of the week exceeds a threshold value?

S403 decide that an almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNa is

abnormal

S404 abandon

S405 decide. that an almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNA is

valid

S406 store in an almanac storing portion

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A501 The almanac is stored?

\$502 calculate a satellite position by using the almanac which is stored

S503 calculate a satellite position by using the almanac which is restored based

on the predicted WNa

A504 a positional difference between them exceeds a threshold value ?

A505 decide that an almanac which is restored based on the predicted WMa is

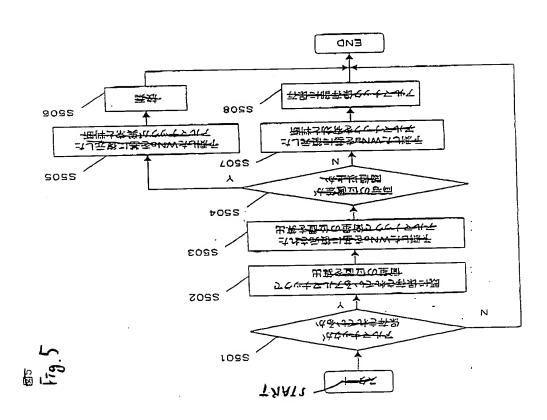
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S506 abandon

\$507 decide that an almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNa is

valid

S508 store in an almanac storing portion



S601 a signal of a certain satellite is received?

S603 calculate the Doppter-shift frequency of the certain satellite by using the S602 measure a Doppler-shift frequency of the signal being received

almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNa

S605 decide that an almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNa is

S604 a positional difference between them exceeds a threshold value?

abnormal

S606 abandon

\$607 decide that the almanac which is restored based on the predicted WNa is

S608 store in an almanac storing portion

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S701 The almanac is stored?

S702 calculate a satellite position S0 by using the almanac which is stored

S703 calculate WNa, WNa+1, WNa-1 based on the predicted WNa

S704 restore three almanacs based on WINa, WNa+1, WNa-1 respectively

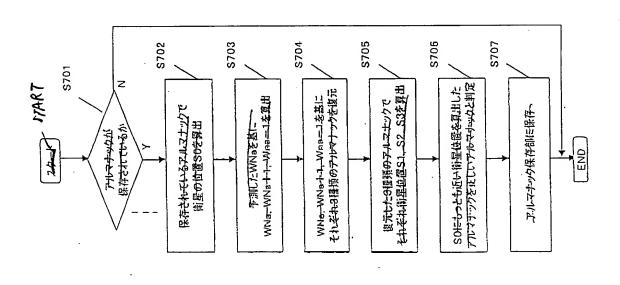
S705 calculate satellite positions S1, S2, S3 by using three restored almanacs

respectively

S706 decide the almanac which calculates the satellite position closest to S1 as

a valid almanac

S707 store in an almanac storing portion



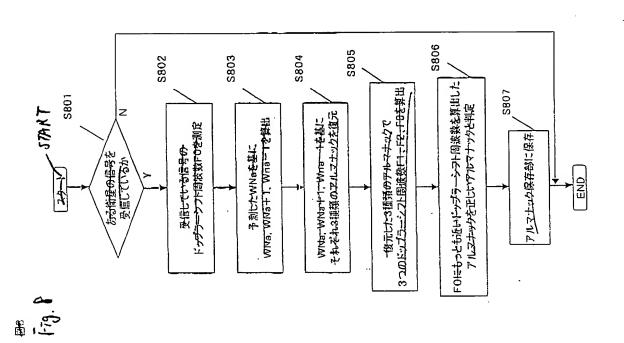
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S805 calculate three Doppler-shift frequencies F1, F2, F3 by using three S804 restore three almanacs based on WNa, WNa+1, WNa-1 respectively S802 measure a Doppler-shill frequency F0 of the signal being received S803 calculate WNa, WNa+1, WNa-1 based on the predicted WNa S801 a signal of a certain satellite is received?

S806 decide the almanac that calculates the Doppler-shift frequency closest to F0 as a valid almanac

restored almanacs

S807 store in an almanac storing portion



S901 WN, Z count already is received?

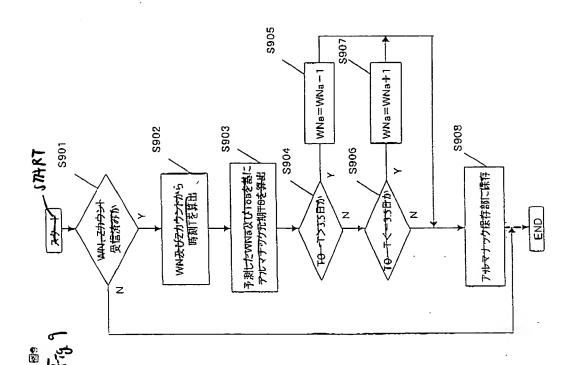
S902 calculate a time T based on WN and Z count

S903 calculate an epoch of the almanac based on predicted WNa and Toa

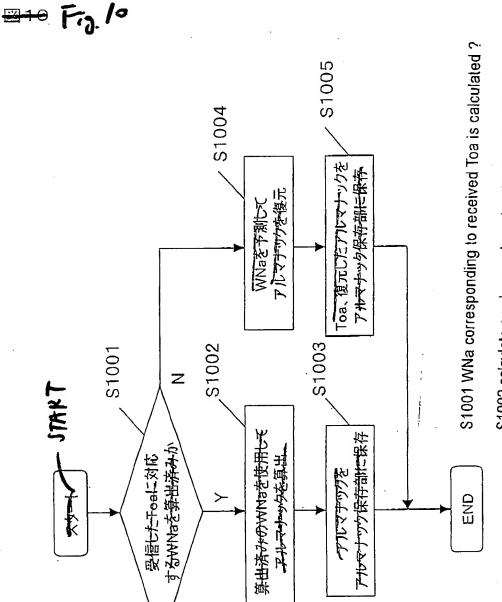
S904 T0-T>3.5 days ?

\$906 To-T <-3.5 days ?

S908 store in an almanac storing portion



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S1002 calculate an almanac by using the calculated WNa

S1003 store the almanac in an almanac storing portion

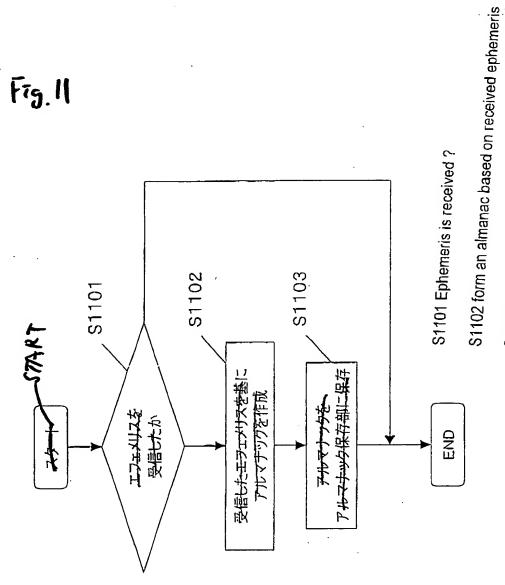
S1004 restore the almanac by predicting WNa

S1005 store Toa and the restored almanac in an almanac storing portion

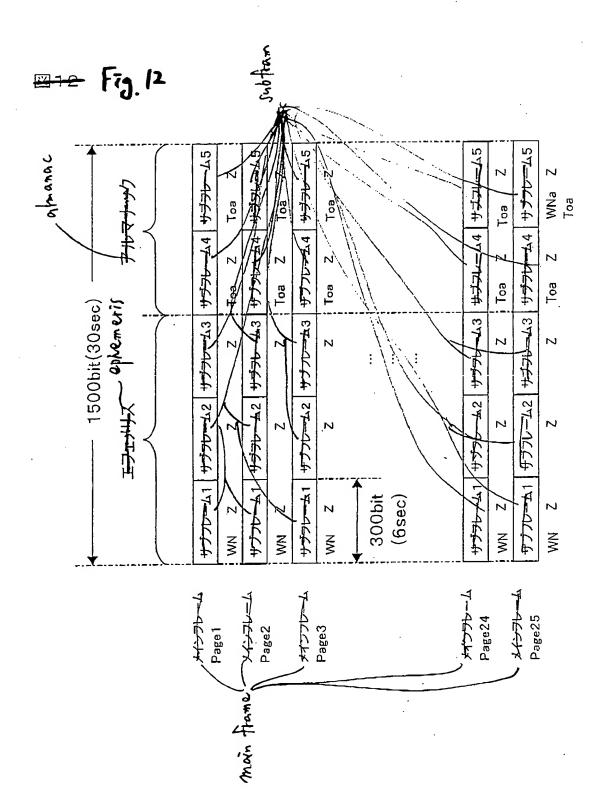
S1103 store the almanac in an almanac storing portion

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Fig. 11



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8 position measuring portion

